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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am an original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **BIFURCATED STENT WITH IMPROVED SIDE BRANCH APERTURE AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME** the specification of which was filed on May 23, 2000 under Serial No. 09/575,957.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE (day, month, year)	STATUS (i.e. Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
09/072,846	05 May 1998	Pending
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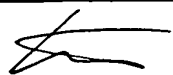
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We,

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have made new and useful improvements in a **BIFURCATED STENT WITH IMPROVED SIDE BRANCH APERTURE AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME**, for which an application for Letters Patent was filed on May 23, 2000 under Serial No. 09/575,957, and

WHEREAS **MEDINOL LTD.**, having a place of business at **POB 58165 Kiryat Atidim, Bldg. 3, 4th Fl., Tel Aviv 61581 Israel**, and who, together with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited,

NOW, THEREFORE, for valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to us, receipt and sufficiency of which we hereby acknowledge, we hereby, without reservations:

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 4 day of September, 2000.

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